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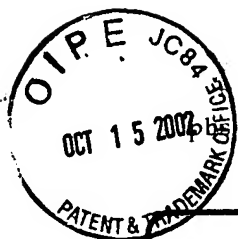
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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT OFFICE

Applicant: David P. Schultz  
Assignee: Xilinx, Inc.  
Title: Method and System for Flexibly Nesting JTAG TAP  
Controllers for FPGA-Based System-On-Chip (SoC)  
Serial No.: 10/086,129 File Date: 2/28/2002  
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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

Before taking action in the above-referenced case, please  
make the following amendments to the claims.

IN THE CLAIMS

**Please replace Claim 14 with the following:**

14. (Amended) A system for flexibly accessing nested JTAG TAP  
controllers for IP cores in a FPGA-based SoC, the system  
comprising:

A1 a selector for choosing at least one IP core JTAG TAP  
controller from a plurality of JTAG TAP controllers nested in  
the FPGA-based SoC; and

a multiplexer for programmably connecting said at least one  
IP core JTAG TAP controller to a host JTAG TAP controller.

**Please add Claims 21-27 as follows:**

21. (New) A system for performing boundary scan functions on a  
plurality of IP cores, the system comprising:

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Cm.T an FPGA-based system-on-chip (SoC) comprising a plurality  
of IP cores each including a first JTAG TAP controller; and

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